



THE ASSAM GAZETTE

অসাধাৰণ

EXTRAORDINARY

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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

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ENVIRONMENT AND FOREST DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 9th March, 2022

No.FRS.124/2021/386.- In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 18 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, as amended up-to-date, the Governor of Assam is pleased to declare its intention to constitute the land described in the Schedules annexed hereto as Behali Wild Life Sanctuary.

The Governor of Assam, further hereby appoints the Deputy Commissioner of Biswanath District to act a Collector under the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, to inquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of rights of any person in or over the land comprised within the limits described in the Schedule below. The inquiry into the above shall be as per procedure laid in the Sections 19 to 26A read with Section 18(1) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

SCHEDULES

A. Location, Area and Name

District	-	Biswanath
Sub-Division	-	Biswanath and Gohpur
Forest Division	-	Sonitpur East
Forest Range	-	Borgang
Area	-	157.25 sqkm

B. Description of the Boundary

North: The inter state boundary between Assam and Arunachal Pradesh along the inner line forms the northern boundary of Behali Wild Life Sanctuary. It starts from GPS Point No 1 where the inter

state boundary meets the west of Borgang River and moves eastwards along the inter state boundary upto GPS Point No 2 where the inter state boundary meets the west of Chenglijan River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude
1	26.941701 N	93.188950 E
2	26.937960 N	93.466136 E

East: From GPS Point No 2, the boundary turns south west direction to GPS Point 3 and continues to move along an imaginary line comprising of the GPS points noted below till it reaches GPS Point No 7.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
2	26.937960 N	93.466136 E	171.15	196.5726
3	26.936481 N	93.465638 E	103.45	256.0452
4	26.936259 N	93.464626 E	132.78	233.2440
5	26.935545 N	93.463551 E	88.35	215.1012
6	26.934894 N	93.463037 E	506.67	213.5712
7	26.931092 N	93.460199 E	193.71	250.5288

South: From GPS Point No 7, the boundary turns towards west direction to GPS Point No 8 and continues to move along an imaginary line comprising the GPS points noted below upto GPS Point No 34 where it meets the left bank of Buroi River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
8	26.930515 N	93.458357 E	190.74	256.1274
9	26.930108 N	93.456490 E	357.88	261.3744
10	26.929635 N	93.452924 E	108.08	262.8090
11	26.929516 N	93.451844 E	110.92	273.7188
12	26.929585 N	93.450729 E	372.00	262.3932
13	26.929152 N	93.447014 E	140.55	3.2442
14	26.930419 N	93.447099 E	73.44	303.9234
15	26.930791 N	93.446486 E	153.82	273.2922
16	26.930875 N	93.444940 E	175.49	265.9410
17	26.930769 N	93.443176 E	127.37	236.0052
18	26.930129 N	93.442110 E	288.35	273.1260
19	26.930280 N	93.439211 E	186.49	218.9424
20	26.928974 N	93.438025 E	158.56	232.7946
21	26.928112 N	93.436749 E	259.61	277.8402
22	26.928440 N	93.434160 E	300.26	287.6688
23	26.929272 N	93.431282 E	279.60	285.9474
24	26.929973 N	93.428576 E	206.21	287.5878
25	26.930542 N	93.426599 E	193.02	222.4926
26	26.929261 N	93.425280 E	78.29	284.3538
27	26.929439 N	93.424517 E	160.89	259.2444
28	26.929172 N	93.422924 E	136.90	267.0648
29	26.929113 N	93.421547 E	247.28	236.8938
30	26.927900 N	93.419456 E	93.82	256.1130
31	26.927699 N	93.418538 E	318.99	334.4730
32	26.930302 N	93.417163 E	172.98	290.1150
33	26.930844 N	93.415529 E	505.98	269.7018
34	26.930835 N	93.410432 E	177.03	196.8744

From GPS Point No 34 the boundary turns south direction along an imaginary line upto GPS Point No 37 where it crosses Buroi River and continues along the right bank of Buroi River upto GPS Point No 44 where it meets the left bank of Bihmari River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
35	26.929307 N	93.409909 E	245.54	191.9082
36	26.927140 N	93.409391 E	319.20	182.6574
37	26.924261 N	93.409231 E	330.22	146.3634
38	26.921774 N	93.411065 E	173.89	163.9668
39	26.920263 N	93.411543 E	143.36	188.5464
40	26.918984 N	93.411324 E	225.74	169.6362
41	26.916978 N	93.411725 E	236.80	176.1030
42	26.914844 N	93.411880 E	241.46	205.6896
43	26.912883 N	93.410819 E	259.37	206.1240
44	26.910784 N	93.409661 E	496.43	275.1024

From GPS Point No 44 the boundary moves westwards excluding the forest villages of Bihmari and Kolaguri and Kajiamati area along an imaginary line upto GPS Point No 74 where it again meets the left bank of Bihmari River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
45	26.911197 N	93.404682 E	257.20	6.6624
46	26.913502 N	93.404991 E	142.88	9.0762
47	26.914776 N	93.405223 E	199.68	16.2984
48	26.916504 N	93.405793 E	140.79	343.0716
49	26.917722 N	93.405385 E	198.64	341.8308
50	26.919427 N	93.404767 E	155.09	245.2350
51	26.918845 N	93.403347 E	130.92	255.9558
52	26.918562 N	93.402066 E	122.71	258.4788
53	26.918344 N	93.400855 E	456.36	277.5990
54	26.918901 N	93.396301 E	383.94	255.8574
55	26.918065 N	93.392548 E	316.08	248.9196
56	26.917047 N	93.389574 E	232.77	264.6576
57	26.916857 N	93.387239 E	242.67	263.9658
58	26.916634 N	93.384808 E	220.80	278.2638
59	26.916926 N	93.382608 E	268.19	344.9250
60	26.919266 N	93.381914 E	308.12	313.6698
61	26.921193 N	93.379675 E	260.66	271.5048
62	26.921262 N	93.377051 E	133.72	246.3132
63	26.920780 N	93.375816 E	352.51	269.8308
64	26.920780 N	93.372266 E	250.11	306.2928
65	26.922122 N	93.370240 E	211.98	308.8272
66	26.923326 N	93.368580 E	219.38	285.9720
67	26.923877 N	93.366458 E	234.50	274.4958
68	26.924049 N	93.364104 E	307.70	304.5678
69	26.925632 N	93.361557 E	232.57	317.3472
70	26.927180 N	93.359974 E	192.24	318.7140
71	26.928488 N	93.358701 E	306.92	309.1284
72	26.930242 N	93.356308 E	445.29	333.8124
73	26.933855 N	93.354340 E	150.62	262.5732
74	26.933683 N	93.352835 E	210.77	211.6530

From GPS Point No 74 the boundary turns south direction and crosses Bihmari River and continues along an imaginary line upto GPS Point No 77 where it meets the Kolaguri-Naharjan Road. From here the boundary follows the Kolaguri-Naharjan road along the GPS points noted below upto GPS Point No 96. From this point, the boundary follows an imaginary line upto GPS Point No 99 where it again meets Kolaguri-Naharjan road. From this point, the boundary follows the road along the GPS points noted below upto GPS Point No 106.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
75	26.932066 N	93.351716 E	504.80	184.6302
76	26.927524 N	93.351291 E	237.06	175.2060
77	26.925391 N	93.351484 E	109.26	91.8396
78	26.925357 N	93.352584 E	213.59	150.2820
79	26.923679 N	93.353645 E	198.02	155.2578
80	26.922053 N	93.354475 E	95.30	166.0512
81	26.921218 N	93.354704 E	67.28	122.2650
82	26.920892 N	93.355276 E	85.49	102.7194
83	26.920720 N	93.356115 E	160.95	115.0668
84	26.920101 N	93.357582 E	208.16	102.5298
85	26.919688 N	93.359627 E	142.97	110.1138
86	26.919240 N	93.360978 E	107.37	163.2486
87	26.918311 N	93.361286 E	156.25	182.0928
88	26.916902 N	93.361225 E	102.88	151.7004
89	26.916083 N	93.361713 E	126.19	169.2018
90	26.914963 N	93.361948 E	213.22	174.6144
91	26.913046 N	93.362143 E	159.36	165.1992
92	26.911654 N	93.362549 E	221.02	144.8028
93	26.910020 N	93.363826 E	230.68	136.2972
94	26.908510 N	93.365427 E	58.94	161.6058
95	26.908005 N	93.365612 E	102.45	182.8212
96	26.907081 N	93.365559 E	345.38	179.9634
97	26.903962 N	93.365551 E	219.20	161.2284
98	26.902087 N	93.366255 E	180.90	168.3018
99	26.900487 N	93.366619 E	69.78	140.1648
100	26.900002 N	93.367068 E	177.03	174.1716
101	26.898411 N	93.367244 E	141.90	172.3674
102	26.897141 N	93.367429 E	111.76	164.2176
103	26.896169 N	93.367732 E	212.89	154.6044
104	26.894430 N	93.368646 E	166.32	134.4444
105	26.893376 N	93.369838 E	239.77	143.4636
106	26.891633 N	93.371270 E	342.11	226.8204

From GPS Point No 106 the boundary turns south west direction and continues to move along an imaginary line consisting of the GPS Points noted below upto GPS Point No 116 where it reaches Serelia Forest Village. From this point the boundary turns north direction and follows an imaginary line upto GPS Point No 129 where it reaches the right bank of Behali River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
107	26.889526 N	93.368751 E	397.75	224.6790
108	26.886979 N	93.365927 E	215.61	224.3064
109	26.885590 N	93.364406 E	213.33	216.6642
110	26.884049 N	93.363119 E	296.93	223.8342
111	26.882120 N	93.361042 E	496.30	153.5742
112	26.878102 N	93.363253 E	102.17	227.2620
113	26.877478 N	93.362495 E	785.83	223.9740
114	26.872386 N	93.356986 E	71.51	236.6478
115	26.872032 N	93.356384 E	419.65	272.1264
116	26.872183 N	93.352162 E	150.32	350.8794
117	26.873524 N	93.351926 E	133.40	355.1670
118	26.874724 N	93.351817 E	149.10	351.5784
119	26.876057 N	93.351601 E	61.72	318.4680
120	26.876475 N	93.351190 E	167.83	277.1376
121	26.876667 N	93.349514 E	52.55	294.5232
122	26.876865 N	93.349034 E	69.03	318.0564
123	26.877330 N	93.348571 E	155.72	348.7842
124	26.878710 N	93.348270 E	109.95	2.4204
125	26.879702 N	93.348320 E	48.52	308.2812
126	26.879974 N	93.347937 E	137.86	313.0758
127	26.880826 N	93.346926 E	476.73	273.1962
128	26.881078 N	93.342134 E	165.11	273.2610
129	26.881167 N	93.340475 E	80.21	225.8304

From GPS Point No 129 the boundary moves along the right bank of Behali River upto GPS Point No 165.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
130	26.880664 N	93.339894 E	68.80	286.4610
131	26.880841 N	93.339230 E	39.82	307.9884
132	26.881063 N	93.338915 E	39.86	262.7598
133	26.881019 N	93.338516 E	98.88	227.0214
134	26.880412 N	93.337786 E	31.20	154.8498
135	26.880157 N	93.337919 E	39.65	172.6848
136	26.879801 N	93.337969 E	30.24	192.4410
137	26.879535 N	93.337902 E	75.74	209.8788
138	26.878943 N	93.337521 E	48.56	191.5980
139	26.878514 N	93.337421 E	28.31	305.2410
140	26.878662 N	93.337189 E	17.47	318.5088
141	26.878780 N	93.337073 E	21.41	247.3380
142	26.878706 N	93.336874 E	26.28	183.4434
143	26.878469 N	93.336857 E	30.55	143.4480
144	26.878247 N	93.337040 E	73.79	178.5678
145	26.877581 N	93.337056 E	70.41	127.1052
146	26.877196 N	93.337620 E	24.99	203.1576
147	26.876989 N	93.337521 E	77.23	218.0856
148	26.876441 N	93.337040 E	58.27	277.9356
149	26.876515 N	93.336459 E	23.38	230.7072
150	26.876382 N	93.336276 E	23.48	167.6904

151	26.876175 N	93.336326 E	55.33	120.0930
152	26.875923 N	93.336807 E	64.74	104.5164
153	26.875775 N	93.337438 E	27.05	165.7392
154	26.875539 N	93.337504 E	24.24	208.2774
155	26.875346 N	93.337388 E	53.65	259.2828
156	26.875257 N	93.336857 E	27.05	193.9572
157	26.875020 N	93.336791 E	37.20	134.6958
158	26.874784 N	93.337056 E	81.18	84.0516
159	26.874858 N	93.337869 E	19.80	131.3286
160	26.874739 N	93.338019 E	29.57	199.3836
161	26.874488 N	93.337919 E	93.81	174.8076
162	26.873644 N	93.338002 E	51.66	126.9348
163	26.873363 N	93.338417 E	96.96	183.7464
164	26.872489 N	93.338351 E	40.71	226.6374
165	26.872238 N	93.338052 E	712.94	270.5076

From GPS Point No 165 the boundary turns west direction and moves along an imaginary line consisting of the GPS Points noted below until it reaches GPS Point No 214 where it meets the left bank of Borgang River.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
166	26.872312 N	93.330875 E	265.42	270.9132
167	26.872356 N	93.328203 E	943.74	270.6504
168	26.872474 N	93.318703 E	69.44	238.5630
169	26.872149 N	93.318105 E	57.84	249.9714
170	26.871971 N	93.317558 E	45.96	284.3184
171	26.872075 N	93.317110 E	30.30	220.6092
172	26.871868 N	93.316911 E	44.37	284.8482
173	26.871971 N	93.316479 E	192.96	267.9102
174	26.871912 N	93.314538 E	190.95	335.3808
175	26.873481 N	93.313741 E	544.96	338.0298
176	26.878049 N	93.311701 E	428.52	328.3584
177	26.881347 N	93.309446 E	1133.44	329.3706
178	26.890166 N	93.303656 E	289.83	16.2864
179	26.892676 N	93.304481 E	427.71	281.2380
180	26.893437 N	93.300259 E	440.66	279.8622
181	26.894128 N	93.295889 E	402.39	190.4076
182	26.890556 N	93.295148 E	344.49	189.6684
183	26.887491 N	93.294557 E	8.23	233.1396
184	26.887447 N	93.294491 E	154.60	153.4482
185	26.886197 N	93.295183 E	125.73	174.5238
186	26.885067 N	93.295301 E	140.34	238.6302
187	26.884409 N	93.294093 E	218.06	251.4468
188	26.883787 N	93.292010 E	201.43	208.0224
189	26.882184 N	93.291053 E	105.23	262.0338
190	26.882054 N	93.290003 E	171.53	253.7796
191	26.881625 N	93.288344 E	153.62	227.6250
192	26.880693 N	93.287199 E	262.40	274.5894
193	26.880888 N	93.284566 E	183.76	184.8456
194	26.879235 N	93.284406 E	54.31	244.0746
195	26.879021 N	93.283913 E	96.28	263.0268

196	26.878918 N	93.282951 E	190.68	263.6208
197	26.878730 N	93.281042 E	195.08	253.3968
198	26.878231 N	93.279159 E	127.91	250.4082
199	26.877846 N	93.277945 E	209.83	247.0422
200	26.877111 N	93.275998 E	109.08	247.8066
201	26.876741 N	93.274980 E	156.08	247.6584
202	26.876208 N	93.273525 E	121.54	282.3408
203	26.876445 N	93.272330 E	123.15	267.8430
204	26.876405 N	93.271091 E	84.49	338.5236
205	26.877116 N	93.270782 E	134.75	288.8100
206	26.877510 N	93.269498 E	95.95	254.0136
207	26.877273 N	93.268569 E	275.71	327.0594
208	26.879365 N	93.267064 E	126.78	359.8794
209	26.880510 N	93.267064 E	106.91	324.7440
210	26.881299 N	93.266445 E	457.59	304.1898
211	26.883628 N	93.262639 E	344.07	240.1788
212	26.882089 N	93.259630 E	312.23	244.1592
213	26.880865 N	93.256798 E	109.77	268.3980
214	26.880840 N	93.255693 E	134.38	304.9308

West: From GPS Point No 214 the boundary turns north west direction along the left bank of Borgang River upto GPS Point No 221 where it meets the boundary of Biswanath Reserve Forest. From this point the boundary follows the east boundary of Biswanath Reserve Forest along the left bank of Borgang River through the GPS points noted below until it reaches the inter state boundary between Assam and Arunachal Pradesh.

GPS Point ID	Latitude	Longitude	Distance to next GPS Point	Bearing
215	26.881536 N	93.254585 E	140.91	266.3280
216	26.881457 N	93.253169 E	634.99	320.3358
217	26.885878 N	93.249098 E	831.81	303.0198
218	26.889983 N	93.242084 E	785.58	308.8518
219	26.894442 N	93.235933 E	638.14	295.5804
220	26.896940 N	93.230142 E	648.45	323.1594
221	26.901631 N	93.226236 E	465.90	325.7976
222	26.905115 N	93.223606 E	409.72	329.7486
223	26.908313 N	93.221533 E	821.67	312.0228
224	26.913289 N	93.215395 E	293.90	306.0114
225	26.914853 N	93.213004 E	527.18	325.1202
226	26.918762 N	93.209975 E	471.13	339.2490
227	26.922742 N	93.208301 E	684.87	306.2016
228	26.926402 N	93.202741 E	594.46	316.1010
229	26.930276 N	93.198596 E	411.17	319.0392
230	26.933083 N	93.195886 E	1176.96	324.1068

N.B.:

1. All GPS Coordinates are in WGS84 Datum with Geographic Latitude and Longitude.
2. The bearings are all in Decimal Degrees and being whole circle bearing taken with True North as 0 (zero) and in clock wise direction.
3. All distances are in meters.

C. Map

Map of the Behali Wild Life Sanctuary is attached herewith as ANNEXURE.

D. Main Wild Life Species

Mammals: Asian Elephant *Elephas maximus*, Bengal Tiger *Panthera tigris*, Chinese Pangolin *Manis pentadactyla*, Bengal Slow Loris *Nycticebus bengalensis*, Capped Langur *Trachypithecus pileatus*, Hog Deer *Axis porcinus*, Hispid Hare *Caprolagus hispidus*, Sambar *Rusa unicolor*, Gaur *Bos gaurus*, Common Leopard *Panthera pardus*, Fishing Cat, Himalayan Black Bear *Ursus thibetanus*, Smooth-coated Otter *Lutrogale perspicillata*, Pallas's Squirrel *Callosciurus erythraeus* etc.

Birds: White-winged Duck *Asarcornis scutalata*, Greater Adjutant *Leptoptilos dubius*, Lesser Adjutant *Leptoptilos javanicus*, Cinnamon Bittern *Ixobrychus cinnamomeus*, Red-necked Falcon *Falco chicquera*, Peregrine Falcon *Falco peregrinus*, White-rumped Vulture *Gyps bengalensis*, Red-headed Vulture *Sarcogyps calvus*, Blossom-headed Parakeet *Psittacula roseata*, Jungle Nightjar *Caprimulgus indicus*, Red headed Trogon *Harpactes erythrocephalus*, Wreathed Hornbill *Rhyticeros undulatus*, Rufous-necked Hornbill *Aceros nipalensis*, Oriental Pied Hornbill *Anthraceroceros albirostris*, Great Hornbill *Buceros bicornis* etc.

Reptiles: Ornate Flying Snake *Chrysopelea ornata*, Eastern Cat Snake *Boiga gokool*, Red-necked Keelback *Rhabdophis subminiatus*, Banded Krait *Bungarus fasciatus*, Monocled Cobra *Naja kaouthia*, King Cobra *Ophiophagus hannah*, Salazar's Pit Viper *Trimeresurus salazar*, Indian Softshell Turtle *Nilssonis gangeticus*, Indian Flapshell Turtle *Lissemys punctata*, Malayan Box Turtle *Cuora amboinensis*, Indian Tent Turtle *Pangshura tecta*, Tokay Gecko *Gekko gekko*, Bengal Monitor *Varanus bengalensis*, Water Monitor *Varanus salvator* etc.

Amphibians: Marbled Toad *Bufo stomaticus*, Common Asian Toad *Bufo Duttaphrynus*, Ornamented Pigmy Frog *Microhyla ornata*, Indian Balloon Frog *Uperodon globulosus*, Assamese Forest Frog *Kaloula assamensis*, Pied Warty Frog *Theloderma asperum* etc.

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